

TAILORING.

The Pole Star



"Forever fixed in its place,
We travel earth and locate space."

None are deceived by the "pole" star. It guides on the land and direct on the ocean. All who trust in it are sure of their whereabouts.

Neither are people deceived who patronize Nicholson, the fashionable tailor. As the "pole" star is among stars, so is Nicholson to the clothing trade of Phoenix. He never misleads but is always to be relied upon by those wishing well fitting and serviceable garments.

He has just received the latest novelties in spring and summer suitings, both in piece and sample goods, being superior to anything ever before shown in Phoenix and equal to the best tailoring establishments of the Pacific Coast.

Gentlemen wishing to dress well will certainly consult their own interests by giving all of their orders where they can be fitted to their satisfaction, and quit patronizing every humbug that comes along with a pack of shoddy samples to take their money out of the town. Every suit made by Nicholson is guaranteed or money refunded.

No tailor can make a satisfactory fit unless fitting it on the wearer before finishing the garment, and what kind of a fit do you suppose cheap and incompetent workmen can give you hundreds of miles away?

Next to a cleanly man a well dressed man is the noblest work of God, and certainly the pride of the ladies. Therefore if you want to stand well, both with the angels above and below, get your spring suit of

NICHOLSON, THE TAILOR,

PHOENIX, ARIZONA.

MAN AND MONEY GONE.

The Mysterious Disappearance of a Wealthy German.

DREW MONEY FROM THE BANK.

He Was Never Seen Afterwards by His Friends.

Much Excitement Caused in the Community and Foul Play Suspected.

Associated Press Dispatches.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Feb. 17.—On the 25th day of November John P. Zoler, a German, who since 1861 has made his home with Simeon Reed, a farmer near St. Paul in this state, left there to go to Shelbyville to draw from a bank some money with which to make a visit to his aged sisters at Aurora and Louisville.

Since the day he left he has not been seen. Reed supposed he was among his relatives until yesterday, when he received a letter asking about him. He at once began a search for the missing man. He traced him to the station on the Big Four called Rugby, where he was known to have taken a train for this place. Here all trace of him was lost.

Zoler was 67 years of age and at one time a few years ago suffered from a paralytic stroke. He was known to have had but \$4.80 in money and that he never reached Shelbyville to draw the money that yet remains to his credit.

Zoler is thought to have been worth \$5,000. His strange disappearance is causing much excitement.

ROBBERY OF \$1,000.

A Private Detective Who Was Plundered Has the Man Who Did It Arrested.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—George Fry, a private detective from Walla Walla, Wash., came here on Jan. 6, intending to go to Germany. He put up at the Stevens House, and on the following day went with a stranger to a place near the hotel where he was to have his gold amounting to \$1,600 changed for bills. After the change was made the money changer, Augustus Johnson, kicked Fry out and locked the door. To-day Fry saw Johnson enter a café near the Equitable building and had him arrested. At the Toombs police court Johnson declined to make any statement. He pleaded not guilty and was held for examination in \$5,000 bail.

LEGACY THROUGH MURDER.

Kansas Courts Will Pass on the Title in Property So Secured.

LEAVENWORTH, Kansas, Feb. 17.—On the night of October 8, 1890, David E. Davis, now serving a life sentence in the Kansas penitentiary, murdered his wife in this city for the purpose of inheriting her property. A suit was brought today in the district court against the administrator of the mur-

dered woman's estate, which presses the question as yet undecided by the supreme court, whether a man can inherit from his wife, when, by his own hand, he murders her. Davis' attorney made parties to the suit, because Davis gave them a mortgage to secure their fees after the murder, and before his conviction. The case comes to trial in April.

A PISTOL WITH A HISTORY.

IT WAS USED BY A WOULD-BE MURDERER AND THEN KILLED A CARELESS POLICEMAN.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Officer James B. Cole of Desplaines Street Station was accidentally shot and killed in the station yesterday afternoon. He was sitting in a window in the main room discussing with Officer Welbesky the recent attempt of Frank Henderson to shoot his mother and sister. Welbesky remarked that he had the revolver in his overcoat pocket which Henderson had used.

"Let me see it," said Cole as he reached into Welbesky's pocket to take the weapon out. Welbesky's hand was also in the pocket and the weapon was accidentally discharged. The bullet entered Cole's right eye and lodged in the back of his head. He died in a few minutes.

A HERMIT'S DEATH.

John Pillsbury, After Living Fourteen Years in a Log Hut, Passes Away.

CARTHAGE, Ill., Feb. 17.—Everett Hawley, a resident of Davidson, Mich., writes to Postmaster Dehart that a hermit named John Pillsbury recently died at his home, and before his death said he had three sons—John, Charles and Austin, living in Hancock county Ill. Pillsbury came to the vicinity some thirteen years ago and had lived the life of an outcast and the hermit in a little log hut in the woods. He never told anything about himself until he came to die, and then said that he had once been engaged in the nursery business in Carthage, Ill.

Diligent inquiries here have failed to elicit any information concerning Pillsbury or his relatives. Just before he died he dragged himself to the home of Everett Hawley. Some mystery shrouds the old hermit's life, as he was once a very wealthy man.

A Remarkable Offer.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Yesterday was the South Park commissioners were holding a business meeting. S. Tegiman, a Japanese, representing his government, entered the room. Tegiman, on behalf of his government, made a remarkable offer to the park board. He told the members of the board that Japan wanted to put up a stone building in Jackson park, lay out Japanese gardens all around it, fill the building with rare works of art and then give everything to the city of Chicago.

Tegiman also said that the government of Japan would vote an annual appropriation to keep up the buildings and gardens. That was all he said. Mr. Donnerberger asked Tegiman to put his offer on paper. Tegiman nodded assent and said he would send a letter today containing the whole thing, with a part of the Japanese arts. It is thought the park board will accept the gift.

ROASTED BY THE PARSON.

An Iowa Preacher Denounces a Member as a Scoundrel.

A BANK CASHIER'S MISDEEDS.

The Creston Sensation is Renewed from the Pulpit.

Rev. Mr. Hooker Asserts that Cashier Black is a Contemptible Rascal.

Associated Press Dispatches.

CRESTON, Io., Feb. 17.—The State Savings bank sensation which has engaged the attention of our citizens for a year, has culminated in vigorous denunciation from the pulpit by Rev. Mr. Hooker of Mr. John Black, former cashier of the bank. On February 12th, a year ago, this community was startled by the suicide of E. L. Edgerton, president of the bank, who was found with his throat cut from ear to ear. He left a number of letters stating that the bank was insolvent and charging Cashier Black with threatening his life. It was found upon examination that the bank was perfectly solvent, and Black was exonerated of all suspicion. However, Black shortly resigned and it was then discovered that he had appropriated some \$4,600 to his own use from the funds. This was proved in trial on the evidence of one Gibson. Black last month published an open letter over his own signature charging Gibson with all sorts of disreputable things, among them improper conduct with a young lady, citing Rev. Mr. Hooker as evidence of the truthfulness of his assertion. Rev. Mr. Hooker now comes forward with a stinging denunciation of Black as a contemptible scoundrel and liar, and challenges him to prove his statements. Black was in the audience, but said nothing.

FITZSIMMONS' BODY EXHUMED.

The Dead Criminal's Brother Takes It Away for Cremation.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 17.—H. C. Fitzsimmons, the brother of the Pittsburg murderer who killed himself after his capture here, has been in the city several days looking after the affairs of the dead criminal. He visited the chief of police and the coroner, and was given the dead man's satchel, pistols and watches, and in fact all the property the brother left behind him. He then went to the board of health and got a permit for the removal of the body. In company with several friends and the sexton he was driven to St. Vincent de Paul cemetery and the sexton opened the vault and removed the coffin. It was taken to a neighboring undertaker's, Mr. Fitzsimmons leaves tomorrow with the body, first going to Cincinnati and then to Brockville, Canada. The body will probably be cremated at Cincinnati.

THEY ARE AFTER RAY.

The Identity of the Man Who Tried to Bribe Lockhart Being Sought.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 17.—The complete identity of the man who offered the bribe to E. M. Lockhart will doubtless come to light. The Dunham hotel people flatly refuse to furnish any information as to which Ray it was that was in company with Mr. Lockhart when the \$1,000 was left on deposit. Manager Cullen claims that it would be violating an unwritten hotel law to furnish any information on the subject. Both George M. Ray and Isom Wray of Shelbyville were at the hotel about that time. The former was there a good deal in company with Bellamy Sutton, who was actively working for the Miller farm. Mr. Lockhart says the person who dealt with him did not wear a beard and was a young man. This could not refer to Isom Wray. Both Wrays are absent from Shelbyville and nothing can be learned from them now.

APACHE INDIANS EXCITED.

A Squaw Killed by a Mexican Cattleman.

LORENSBURG, N. M., Feb. 17.—Apache Indians on the White mountain reservation are excited over the encroachments of the cow men on their domain. Last week a Mexican vaquero named Vincente Ramirez killed an Indian squaw caught in the act of stealing provisions from the herders' camp. He immediately left, but was captured in this place and taken to Clifton jail. A report to night is that the interior department had ordered the immediate removal of all stock from the reservation, and that the troops would put the order into execution at once. While there is no probability of an outbreak, yet in the excited condition of some of the more turbulent Indians, settlers adjoining the reservation consider it imperative that the cattle be removed at once.

COLORADO ALABASTER COMPANY.

Will Open Up Its Quarries Near Florence.

FLORENCE, Colo., Feb. 17.—Engene Weston, representing the Colorado Alabaster company, which owns extensive quarries about eight miles from this city and on the line of the Florence and Cripple Creek road, was in the city to-day. Mr. Weston assured the members of the road that his company is making preparations to develop their property and will either put in stone-dressing works in this city or some point convenient to the new road. Some wealthy Englishmen are interested in the company and are expected here in a few days to determine the extent of the proposed works.

MARSHAL WILDER INSANE.

Mind Unsettled Because of Having Killed a Man.

LEADVILLE, Colo., Feb. 17.—Fred T. Wilder, until recently marshal of the police force in this city, but who resigned, has gone insane. His relatives are endeavoring to have him removed to Pueblo. Several months ago Wilder, while in

discharge of his duties, shot and accidentally killed Ed Thompson, a prisoner who was endeavoring to make his escape. Since this unfortunate occurrence Wilder has been a changed man, and his present sad plight is supposed to be the outcome of this trouble.

SHOOTING OF HASSLOCK.

Officer Shurtz Arrested, Charged With Intent to Kill.

PUEBLO, Colo., Feb. 17.—Rumors, stories and accounts of the shooting affray which occurred here last night, are numerous on the streets to-day. No two accounts of the affair are the same. Mr. Hasslock and his many friends declare that the officer was entirely unjustified in shooting at the time. Mr. W. B. McKinney, general manager of the Press, who is a brother-in-law of Mr. Hasslock, this morning had a warrant sworn out for the arrest of Officer Shurtz on a charge of assault with intent to kill. The officer was released on bonds of \$500.

NEWS FROM MEXICO.

Clubs Organizing to Advocate Diaz's Re-election.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 17.—Clubs, having for their object the advocacy of the re-election of President Diaz, are being organized throughout the republic. The Jockey club last night gave a grand ball in honor of the president. He will receive William E. Curtis on Monday. The Chicago fair commissioner is expected to arrive here tomorrow. The steam launch Vista has been sunk off Tlacotalpa. The Russian minister has arrived here.

THE CATTLE MEN.

Will Hold a Convention at Ogden in April.

Many Reasons Why the Cattlemen of the West Should Get Together—A Profitable Meeting Assured.

Associated Press Dispatches.

OGDEN, Utah, Feb. 17.—The following call is now being sent out to the cattlemen in the various states mentioned in it:

"Cattlemen—There are many reasons why the cattlemen of the west should come together in convention and exchange views and deliberate upon the many questions affecting their interests, and in order that a thorough organization may be established and many of the rights of the present denied the cattlemen of the west may be secured, the undersigned do hereby call a cattlemen's congress, to be held at Ogden, Utah, on the 29th and 30th days of April, 1892. 'All persons interested in cattle-raising will be admitted to said congress as authorized delegates therein. Among the questions to be discussed are transportation, brands, mavericks, fencing, water rights, range privileges, stock yards, breeds and breeding of cattle and quarantine.' The states and territories embraced within this call are Utah, Nevada, Idaho, Wyoming, California, Oregon, Montana, Washington, Texas, Kansas, Colorado, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, New Mexico, Indian Territory, Oklahoma and Arizona. R. L. Armstrong has been appointed secretary and to him all inquiries for information should be made.

COULDN'T SPAN THE CHASM.

Mrs. Amelia Barr's Son-in-Law Asks for a Divorce From His Wife.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 17.—Some two months ago Captain Frank B. S. Morgan entered suit for divorce against his wife, who is the daughter of Mrs. Amelia Barr, the novelist, and lives with her mother at Cornwell-on-the-Hudson, New York. The petition was carefully suppressed at the time, but by an accident it came to light today and created a sensation in the circles in which the captain moves.

He was married to Miss Barr four and a half years ago, and after one week of married life she deserted him, claiming among other things that their literary tastes differed. The captain was formerly a resident of Brooklyn, N. Y., where he cut a swell in military and social circles.

A GHOSTLY SPECTACLE.

The Victims of the Double Murder at the Old Powder Mill Not Known.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 17.—The coroner returned from the scene of the double murder at the old powder mill this morning, bringing the bodies with him. The undertaking rooms of Emerson & Bessier have been visited by thousands today to view the ghastly spectacle. No one has been able to give the names of the dead men, but many have identified them as laborers at the Santa Fe's gravel pit above the city. Both bodies are badly shot, cut, stabbed and battered, and besmeared with clotted blood.

The scene of the tragedy shows no signs of a struggle between the murderers and the murdered, and it is the opinion of all that they were attacked at night and killed while sleeping. Their clothing boots and hats could not be found, and it is thought the crime was committed for this petty booty. Talk of organizing a posse and taking up the trail of the murderers is freely spoken of upon the streets.

WHAT A WIFE IS WORTH.

Morris Cohn Must Pay \$600 for His Third Living Spouse.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Feb. 17.—Jerome C. Dronberger was to-day given a judgment of \$600 in a suit for \$2,500 against Morris Cohn for personal damages, in alienating his wife Lottie's affections. All the parties are wealthy and prominent people, Dronberger a farmer, and Cohn a merchant, now of Edinburg. None of the parties are over 40 years of age. Cohn and Mrs. Dronberger were married here in January, a week after Mrs. Dronberger was divorced from her husband. Cohn now has three living wives in this country.

A NEW BANK.

It Will Be the Phoenix National.

CAPITAL STOCK \$100,000.

Ready for Business in Sixty Days.

Authorized By the Comptroller of the Treasury to Begin Business.

One of the recent business ventures that has been on tapis for some time, and which will be a great thing for the business of the territory, and Phoenix in particular, has culminated.

The comptroller of the treasury has authorized the "Phoenix National Bank" to begin business in this city with a capital of \$100,000. The institution will be controlled by seven directors, five of whom will be residents of Phoenix. The other two are Mr. James A. Fleming of Denver, and Mr. A. P. J. Cole, of Springfield, Ill. Mr. Fleming has long been identified with the business projects of Denver, and is a man of much wealth. He is entitled to the name of "Father of South Denver," for he has been recognized with it since it was a sandy waste. He has made a fortune out of it and comes to Phoenix to invest. Last summer, in company with Mr. Cole, Mr. Fleming visited the valley and with his characteristic business sagacity he saw at once that there was a great future for Phoenix, and began preparatory arrangements for the establishment of the institution authorized by the United States to be known as the Phoenix National Bank.

Mr. Cole is vice-president of a Springfield enterprise with a capital of \$1,000,000 and is interested in many other prominent eastern industries.

Mr. E. J. Bennett, late of the Valley bank, has been tendered the position of cashier, and will probably accept. Thirty thousand dollars of the stock will be taken by the Phoenix directors and Messrs. Fleming and Cole will take the remainder.

The Phoenix National Bank, if carried on in the manner, and on the policy worked out for it, will be of great good to the people of the valley and especially to the promoters. They propose to erect warehouses, and when the farmers desire to do so, they can deposit the grain, and upon the presentation of the warehouse certificate, the bank will pay or loan them the amount, that it would bring at the prices current, at the time of the deposit. This will enable the people to dispose of their agricultural products, without waiting the chances of delayed transportation and other contingent circumstances. In fact it will be a good home market for grain and other farm products, and that too at prices fair and just.

The new institution will be ready for business within the next sixty days. It is one of the enterprises that will do the most good for the business of the territory, and will surely meet with encouragement. Something of the kind has long been needed here and the people will appreciate its advantage.

Mr. Fleming has gone over the valley several times, and expresses himself as believing that the outlook for Phoenix is as promising as that of Denver twelve years ago, and that its surroundings and natural advantages are very similar to those of the great silver center. Phoenix should congratulate herself on securing his presence.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Movements of Phoenix People—Arrivals and Departures.

Captain J. N. Converse has associated himself with the local staff of the Herald. The captain has had an extensive newspaper experience in the east, and will undoubtedly show the boys how it is done back from where he hails.

Damage Suits Against a Frost.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Feb. 17.—Ira J. Hunt who claims he was driven out of the hawthorn business by the National Harrow company a short time ago has commenced a second large damage suit for \$50,000 against William Brinkerhoff, secretary of the National Harrow company. The first suit was for the same amount against the company and was commenced Jan. 6th.

SUICIDE OR MURDER?

Sudden Death of Charles Krouse of Wisconsin After Domestic Trouble.

ASHLAND, Wis., Feb. 17.—Charles Krouse of Bitterroot, a small town near Ashland, was found dead in bed at 10 o'clock last night. Considerable excitement exists over the matter. It was about 10 o'clock last night, according to the story of Mrs. Krouse that her husband went into the bedroom and laid down on the bed. Mrs. Krouse was getting supper, and hearing an unusual noise she went into the bedroom and found her husband in his death agony. Krouse complained about a week ago that Julius Lipka, a hunchback, had tried to poison him. A complaint was gotten out and Lipka was arrested and brought before the Ashland Municipal

court. On the day set for trial Krouse failed to appear and the case was dismissed. Krouse complained that Lipka had furnished his wife strychnine to give him in order to get him out of the way, and his wife afterwards confessed the whole thing. Since the suit has been dropped he has expressed a desire to die and public opinion differs as to whether he committed suicide or not. The coroner has been summoned from Ashland. It is feared that some dark mystery surrounds the case.

SAYS HIS SOUL IS IN HEAVEN.

Mundane Affairs No Longer Trouble the Mind of a Michigan Parolee.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Feb. 17.—William Coulter, the parricide, who after a trial and acquittal on a charge of murder confessed at a religious meeting that he had killed his father and afterward perjured himself to escape conviction, was arraigned in the circuit court this morning on a charge of perjury. He pleaded guilty.

Judge Steere asked him if he understood the nature of the charge against him. "Yes," he replied. "It is a business matter between God and me for eternity."

He was remanded to jail to await sentence. Coulter is undoubtedly crazy. He says that his soul is in heaven and that he cares not what becomes of his body.

Seedless Sultana Grape Roots.

One year old, absolutely true to name, guaranteed free from all pests or diseases. Strong, large roots. For prices and particulars write to: Edwards, Chamblin & Edwards, Redlands, Cal.

SOLICITING AID.

AN ACADEMY TO BE UNDER CATHOLIC MANAGEMENT.

It Will Be Open to all Students Without Regard to Their Religious Convictions.

A Sister of Mercy accompanied by Mrs. Brill of this city is waiting on the citizens of Phoenix, soliciting contributions for the purpose of erecting an academy to be under Catholic management but open for all, without regard to their religious convictions. This proposed educational institution when completed will cost \$7000 and work will begin immediately. Over half the necessary amount was subscribed yesterday and the ladies anticipate no trouble in securing sufficient money for this much needed institution.

The following are a few of the principal subscribers. The names of other contributors will be published in this REPUBLICAN from day to day. Bishop Bourgeois, \$500; Clarke Churchill \$500; L. Elder, \$500; A. Redwell, \$250; M. E. Collins, \$200; J. Brill, \$100; Rev. F. J. Jovanovic, \$100; Hurley Bros., \$50.

The sister upon being asked whether the school would be sectarian replied, "It will be a Catholic institution and children will receive religious training only when parents desire it. We frequently have, in schools of this character, Protestant children, whose parents request that they be taught only in educational branches, and their request is sacredly complied with. The school will be open for all who wish to place their children under our care regardless of their religious views."

GATHERED IN BY UNCLE SAM.

Deputy Marshal Arrests an Ex-News-Agent for Mailing Objectionable Matter.

U. S. Deputy Marshal DeNure received a telegram yesterday to detain T. W. Knox, book-keeper for the Blinn Lumber company in this city. On hearing that the officers were looking for him Mr. Knox gave himself up but has been placed under no restraint. The charge against him is for sending papers containing the statement of lottery drawings through the mails. Six hundred charges were made against him within one week for the same offense. He was a news dealer in Santa Barbara, California, at the time and has been arrested and tried on three charges already but was as often acquitted. This charge differs slightly from the others as on the former ones his defense was that he did not know the papers contained objectionable matter but on this he was short of chronicles to supply his customers and tried to blue pencil the article from the papers sent. The inspector however detected the deception and has again ordered arraignment.

A BIG ENTERPRISE.

The Republican's Special Edition a Great Advertisement for Arizona.

The King brothers, the gentlemen who came out from St. Joseph, Mo., last week to get up an illustrated edition of Arizona, have their coats off and are going at it as though they meant business. They say they can get up a paper that will far surpass anything they ever got out in the east, for they have more subject matter. Their paper will be replete with illustrations and with a great advertisement for the territory.—Phoenix Gazette.

The Future of Phoenix.

Carl Clark, cousin of Mrs. A. Redwell, is in the city on a short business and pleasure trip and paid THE REPUBLICAN office a pleasant call last night. Mr. Clark is now representing a San Francisco wholesale house, but was formerly connected with the Santa Fe railway and is well posted in railway circles. He has just come from Ash Fork and says the Santa Fe is pushing this way as rapidly as possible, and that there is no doubt of its early construction. Mr. Clark is enthusiastic over Phoenix and thinks it is bound to be a city of magnificent proportions.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

Sayings and Doings in Phoenix and the Surrounding Country.

Frank Mayor, the popular proprietor of the Palace billiard hall, and an old time miner and cattleman of this territory, is now sole owner of this valuable property, having purchased the interest of his former partner, Frank Luke.

A JURY CHOSEN AT LAST.

Twelve Men Selected On the Famous Helm Trial.

WILL TAKE TESTIMONY TO-DAY.

A Number of Citizens Examined As To Their Qualifications.

The Various Excuses They Made To

Escape Serving as Jurymen—

Yesterday's Proceedings.

The trial of Doctor Helm will now proceed. This morning the prosecution will call their first witness.

A few minutes after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon the jury was completed.

All the forenoon and up to the hour indicated the attorney's for the respective sides dealt with the several gentlemen selected on the special venire.

G. F. Davis was the first man released; J. S. Barnes was also allowed his freedom; L. W. Johnson escaped, and E. F. Green was directed to remain in the box; James Sears and Thomas Graham were not accepted; Byron Flak was barred owing to his having lived in the county less than the legally required time; J. R. Truman was excused on a challenge; J. B. Kelly had read of the case and had formed an opinion; John Riggan was excused on a like representation; West Nicklas was not acceptable, and John Gray was deplored for the reason that he was opposed to capital punishment; Isaac Orrore was not sufficiently up in English and stepped down and out; Blake Baker was accepted, and the defense excused Neils Peterson; W. H. Chandler was accepted, and J. S. Barnes was excused; A. A. Long was opposed to capital punishment, and was excused; Walter Friedland was passed and later excused; D. Thompsonson was passed, and the court adjourned for the noon hour.

Afternoon Session.

The defense excused P. N. Morton upon the opening of the afternoon session, and Jack Adams took his place in the jury box. The juror was a long time understanding what capital punishment meant, and after District Attorney Cox labored with him for some time he said he had no objections to it. Passed by both the defense and prosecution.

The defense excused E. Tompkinson, and W. P. Johnson was called into the box. He had no opinion as to the merits of the case, and had never conversed with Dr. Hughes about it. Passed by defense and prosecution. Jack Adams was excused by the defense.

R. N. Bond was brought forward. He had a fixed and indefinite opinion relative to the guilt or innocence of the prisoner, and the jurymen were challenged by the defense and excused by the court.

A. S. Arthur was called. He has known Dr. Helm for the last three weeks, having made his acquaintance while nursing a patient the doctor was attending. Passed.

The defense excused W. P. Johnson and John Kellner was called. He is not opposed to capital punishment, and could give the prisoner a fair and impartial trial. Passed by both prosecution and defense, and later excused by the defense.

D. K. Bunker was passed by the defense and excused by the prosecution. M. N. Hulet was next called. He had an absolute fixed opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the defendant. Challenged by the defense, and sustained by the court.

F. T. Pomeroy, also had an opinion that would take a good deal of evidence to change. Challenged by the defense, and sustained by the court.

F. C. McCintock said he could give the defendant a fair and impartial trial. Passed and excused by the defense. G. W. Chapman has known the defendant for two years, and has a qualified opinion that could be changed by evidence.

After a fifteen minutes consultation of the respective attorneys, District Attorney Cox announced at 3 o'clock that the twelve men in the jury box were satisfactory to the prosecution. The defense accepted the jurymen, and the clerk read the indictment against the prisoner to the jurymen who are:

F. G. Marksburg, L. McEwen, F. J. Morgan, C. F. Leonard, Joe Fitzgerald, E. Green, Byron Flak, Blake Baker, W. H. Chandler, A. S. Arthur, G. W. Chapman, A. J. Lester.

Owing to the absence of witnesses, and upon the request of the attorneys, court was adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.